

TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 10287.79
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP2004/016896	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 07 NOVEMBER 2004	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known; see 37 CFR 1.5) unknown 10/578763
TITLE OF INVENTION CONTAINER FOR PACKING REAGENT		
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by ½.			
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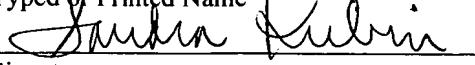
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1. Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning A Filing Under 35 U.S.C. 371;
2. Initial Information Data Sheet;
3. Preliminary Amendment;
4. Substitute Specification with five (5) sheets of drawings;
5. Copy Japanese Language of the PCT/JP2004/016896 international application as filed w/an English Language translation;
6. Copy of the International Application PCT/JP2004/016896 published document w/International Search Report;
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